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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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LOANGO CORPORATION, a Utah corporation,

JUSTIN C. BILLINGSLEY and HEATHER BILLINGSLEY, husband and wife,

JEFFREY SCOTT PETERSON, an unmarried man,

JOHN KEITH AYERS and JENNIFER ANN BRINKMAN-AYERS, husband and wife,

Respondents.

DOCKET NO. S-20932A-15-0220

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**FOURTH** PROCEDURAL ORDER (Grants Motion)

## BY THE COMMISSION:

On June 30, 2015, the Securities Division ("Division") of the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") filed a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Regarding Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, for Restitution, for Administrative Penalties, and for Other Affirmative Action ("Notice") against LoanGo Corporation, Justin C. Billingsley and Heather Billingsley, husband and wife (the "Billingsleys"), Jeffrey Scott Peterson, and John Keith Ayers and Jennifer Ann Brinkman-Avers, husband and wife (the "Averses") (collectively "Respondents"), in which the Division alleged violations of the Arizona Securities Act ("Act") in connection with the offer and sale of securities in the form of stock.

The spouse of Justin C. Billingsley, Heather Billingsley ("Billingsley Spouse") and the spouse of John Keith Ayers, Jennifer Ann Brinkman-Ayers ("Ayers Spouse") (collectively "Respondent Spouses") are joined in the action pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2031(C) solely for the purpose of determining the liability of the respective marital communities.

The Respondents were duly served with copies of the Notice.

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On July 13, 2015, Respondents LoanGo Corporation and Jeffrey Scott Peterson filed a Request for Hearing pursuant to A.A.C. R14-4-306.

On July 15, 2015, Respondents John Keith Ayers and Jennifer Ann Brinkman-Ayers filed a Request for Hearing.

On July 17, 2015, by Procedural Order, a pre-hearing was scheduled to commence on July 30, 2015.

On July 22, 2015, Frank R. Mead and Joshua C. Black filed a Notice of Appearance on behalf of the Billingsleys.

On that same date, Respondent Justin Billingsley filed a Request for Hearing.

On July 23, 2015, by Procedural Order, the pre-hearing conference scheduled for July 30, 2015, was affirmed.

On July 30, 2015, the pre-hearing conference was held as scheduled. The Division and Respondents appeared through counsel. The parties requested the scheduling of a hearing and agreed to the date of February 4, 2016.

On July 30, 2015, by Procedural Order, a hearing was scheduled for February 4, 2016.

On July 31, 2015, a Consent to Email Service was filed by Kevin Fallon McCarthy on behalf of John and Jennifer Ayers.

On that same date, Respondents Ayers filed their Answer.

On August 3, 2015, Respondents LoanGo Corporation and Jeffrey Scott Peterson filed their Answer to Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Regarding Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Order for Restitution, Order for Administrative Penalties, and Order for Other Affirmative Action.

On August 3, 2015, Respondents Billingsley filed their Amended Request for Hearing.

On August 25, 2015, Respondents LoanGo Corporation and Jeffrey Scott Peterson filed another Answer to Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Regarding Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Order for Restitution, Order for Administrative Penalties, and Order for Other Affirmative Action.

On September 25, 2015, a Motion for Substitution of Counsel for Justin C. Billingsley and Heather Billingsley was filed.

On that same date, Respondents Justin C. Billingsley and Heather Billingsley filed their

Answer to Notice of Opportunity for Hearing Regarding Proposed Order to Cease and Desist, Order for Restitution, Order for Administrative Penalties and Order for Other Affirmative Action.

No objections to the motion for substitution of counsel have been filed, accordingly, the motion should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Motion for Substitution of Counsel is granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED substituting Maureen Beyers of Osborn Maledon, P.A. as counsel for the Billingsleys.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the hearing remains scheduled to commence on **February** 4, 2016, at 10:00 a.m., at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington Street, Hearing Room No. 1, Phoenix, Arizona.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall also set aside February 5, and 8-12, 2016 for additional days of hearing, if necessary.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Division and Respondents shall exchange copies of their Witness Lists and copies of the Exhibits by December 21, 2015, with courtesy copies provided to the presiding Administrative Law Judge.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if the parties reach a resolution of the issues raised in the Notice prior to the hearing, the Division shall file a Motion to Vacate the Proceeding

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113-Unauthorized Communications) is in effect and shall remain in effect until the Commission's Decision in this matter is final and non-appealable.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties must comply with Arizona Supreme Court Rules 31 and 38 and A.R.S. § 40-243 with respect to the practice of law and admission *pro hac vice*.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that withdrawal or representation must be made in compliance with A.A.C. R14-3-104(E) and Rule 1.16 of the Rules of Professional Conduct (under Arizona Supreme Court Rule 42). Representation before the Commission includes appearances at all hearings and procedural conferences, as well as all Open Meetings for which the matter is scheduled for discussion, unless counsel has previously been granted permission to withdraw by the Administrative Law Judge or the Commission.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Presiding Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, 1 amend, or waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by 2 3 ruling at hearing. DATED this 14 day of October, 2015. 4 5 6 7 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE Copies of the foregoing mailed/delivered 8 this Handay of October, 2015, to: 9 Alan S. Baskin 10 **BASKIN RICHARDS PLC** 2901 North Central Ave., Suite 1150 11 Phoenix, AZ 85012 Attorneys for LoanGo Corporation 12 and Jeffrey Peterson 13 Kevin Fallon McCarthy MCCARTHY LAW PLC 14 4250 North Drinkwater Blvd., Suite 320 Scottsdale, AZ 85251 15 Attorney for John Keith Ayers and Jennifer Ann Brinkman-Ayers 16 Maureen Beyers 17 OSBORN MALEDON, P.A. 2929 N. Central Avenue, Suite 2100 18 Phoenix, AZ 85012 Attorneys for Respondents Justin and Heather Billingsley 19 Frank R. Mead 20 Joshua C. Black LORONA MEAD, PLC 21 3838 N. Central Avenue, Suite 100 Phoenix, AZ 85012 22 Matthew Neubert, Director 23 **Securities Division** ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION 24 1300 West Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85007 25 26 27 By: 28 Assistant to Mark Preny